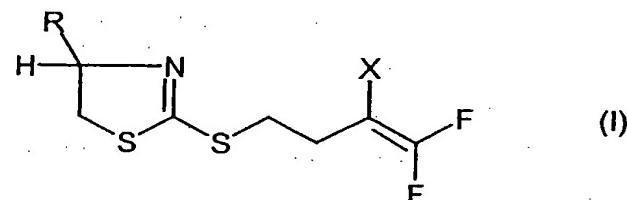


Patent claims**1. A compound of the formula (I)**

wherein

5 R represents methyl or ethyl, and

 X represents hydrogen or fluorine.

2. A compound of the formula (I) according to claim 1, wherein

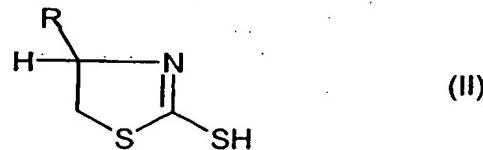
R represents methyl, and

X represents hydrogen or fluorine.

10 3. A compound of the formula (I) according to claim 1, wherein

R represents methyl, and

X represents hydrogen.

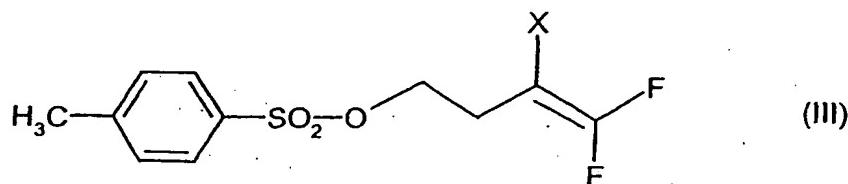
4. A process for preparing compounds of the formula (I) according to claim 1, comprising reacting a compound of the formula (II)

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wherein

R is as defined in claim 1,

with compounds of the formula (III)



wherein

X is as defined in claim 1,

in the presence of inert solvents, and if appropriate, in the presence of an acid binder.

5. 5. A nematicidal composition comprising one or more compounds of the formula (I) according to claim 1 and customary extenders and/or surface active agents.
6. 6. A method of combating nematodes comprising allowing an effective amount of a compound of the formula (I) according to claim 1 to act on said nematodes and/or their environment.
- 10 7. Use of one or more compounds of the formula (I) according to claim 1 for combating nematodes.
8. 8. A process for preparing a nematicidal composition comprising mixing one or more compounds of the formula (I) according to claim 1 with extenders and/or surface active agents and/or other adjuvants.